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## ELKS MINSTRELS PLAYED AMBOY

MADE DECIDED HIT WITH CAPACITY HOUSE—WERE TREATED ROYALLY.

### PERFORMERS MERIT MUCH PRAISE

Each and Every One Had Done His Part Well—Preparing for the Next One.

The Dixon Elks' Minstrels played to a capacity house at Amboy last evening, the residents of that city encouraging the performers with hearty applause and most hospitable treatment, of which the Dixon men speak most highly, and in return the Minstrel company gave the Amboyites a performance which many of them say was the best home talent show they ever saw. The performance was given identically as it was in Dixon the first of the week, and demonstrated that every one of the company rehearsed faithfully and carefully, for each did his part perfectly.

There is no doubt the members of the company deserve praise for the excellence of their performance, primary credit must be given the minstrel committee; B. F. Downing, Ed. Cahill and John W. Null, and the business manager, Charles E. Miller. But of course these gentlemen would have been helpless but for the faithful efforts of the soloists and chorus, while the end men furnished humor in abundance. The soloists, each of whom performed excellently, were B. F. Downing, Fred Hammarstrom, Charles B. Yonts, Charles R. Leake, Curtis Rice, Robin Hartwell, John Null and Ward Miller while the end men, who have kept every audience laughing heartily, were Ward Miller, Charles Yonts, John Null, Wayne Smith, Curtis Rice and B. F. Downing. The members of the chorus gave rousing refrains to every song and rendered class opening and closing overtures. They were: R. C. Bovey, Freeman Robinson, A. T. Manges, H. A. Roe, Lester Wilhelm, Wilbur Wilhelm, Robert Anderson, Robin Hartwell, Wm. G. Ford, Geo. Beckingham, Wm. L. Frye, Martin J. Gannon Jr., Jacob Snyder, Fred Hammarstrom, J. B. Lennon, Dr. H. Y. Rose, H. C. Rose, John T. Richards, W. G. Kent, Guy Miller, Robert Sterling, Chas. R. Leake, Herbert W. Harms, Frank J. Cahill, John Davies, Dr. Z. W. Moss and H. U. Bardwell.

### The Second Part.

The olio of the show which has been given so pleasingly, was a feature. Usually the second part of all minstrel shows is the weakest part, but the Elks have set a new mark with their performance, for really entertaining acts were given. Frank Stevens and Wayne Smith have made decided hits with their monologues, while Robert Anderson's solos have aroused spontaneous applause in tribute to his excellent voice and pleasing rendition of his numbers. The two sketches have been important factors in the success of the shows. Ward Miller, John Null and Curtis Rice have kept their audiences in continual laughter with their magic and their pantomime poker game, while Dr. Z. W. Moss and H. U. Bardwell have furnished a fitting close for a strictly high class entertainment, their act being a mirth-provoker in every particular.

The shows have been so successful and such a feeling of good will has prevailed among those who took part that already plans are being talked over for the second annual show, which will be given next winter, and the Elks are now promising an eye-opener on that occasion.

### SOCIALISTIC MEETING

AT MILLER'S HALL.  
The socialists will hold a meeting at Miller's hall at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 26. John Ogren, socialist alderman of Rockford, will be the principal speaker. He is a ready talker of experience and ability. Everyone interested in social problems and the betterment of the conditions under which we live should hear him. Women are especially invited. Admission free.

Charles Lawton was in Dixon Friday.

### TO THE PEOPLE OF DIXON

The opponents of the Township Park proposition are repeating stories that this movement was planned for the purpose of purchasing the college campus for park purposes. This statement is false. We wish to repeat what we said when our candidacy was announced, namely:  
We are not candidates for or against the College Park.  
We believe that this matter should be decided by a popular vote.  
We will, if elected, take such action in this matter as is directed by a vote of the people, at an election to be held at some future date.  
E. N. HOWELL,  
WM. B. McMAHAN,  
HENRY S. DIXON,  
EDWARD VAILE,  
JOHN B. CRABTREE.

## BAPTISTS TO HAVE SPECIAL SERVICES

FOR TWO WEEKS BEGINNING ON FEB. 9 IMPORTANT MEETINGS WILL BE HELD.

An important series of meetings to last two weeks will be held at the Baptist church beginning Sunday, Feb. 9th. The main attraction of the series will be Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, D. D., pastor of one of the largest churches of Chicago. Dr. Ford has the honor of having the largest Sunday evening congregations of any church in Chicago. The Baptist church is extremely fortunate in getting this prominent man for eight successive days of the meetings. It will be an opportunity for the people of Dixon to come in contact with a man who is figuring in a large way in church affairs. Other prominent church workers of Chicago and elsewhere have been engaged for the evenings not taken by Dr. Ford.

## NEW MANAGER AMBOY HOSPITAL

MRS. FRANK DORNBLASER TO ASSUME SUPERINTENDENCY OF INSTITUTION.

Amboy, Jan. 25.—Dr. R. V. Moore has sold his medical and surgical practice to Dr. Frank Dornblaser, who will take possession February 1st, coming from the state of Ohio. Dr. Dornblaser will occupy the suite of rooms occupied at present by Dr. Moore, and will reside in the Amboy hospital.

Mrs. Dornblaser, who is a trained nurse of wide experience and of more than ordinary ability, having formerly been head nurse in the West Side Hospital, Chicago, will be superintendent and surgical nurse in the Amboy hospital, and will have entire charge of the management of the institution.

Dr. Dornblaser is a son of the Rev. Dr. Dornblaser, who was formerly pastor of the Lutheran church in Dixon.

### MOOSE FAIR WILL CLOSE THIS EVENING

The Moose fair, which has been on at Rosbrook hall all this week, and which has been uniformly successful, will close this evening and it is anticipated that a large crowd will be in attendance, for the beautiful diamond ring is to be given away tonight. The Marquette orchestra will furnish music for the dancing tonight.

### WILL DECIDE HEYER CASE THURSDAY P. M.

The attorneys in the case of the State vs. Fred Hoyer, which was heard by Justice Hanneken yesterday, completed their arguments late last evening, but the justice reserved his decision until Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### DIXON ATTORNEY TO SPEAK IN FREEPORT

C. C. Brooks goes to Freeport this evening, where he will deliver an address on socialism tomorrow afternoon.

## ANSWERS ARGUMENTS AGAINST COMMISSION

OTHER OFFICIAL BODIES DO NOT EXERCISE POWER TO ISSUE HEAVY BONDS.

### NO DANGER OF UNNECESSARY DEBT

Officials Have Proper Respect for Public Opinion and Will Not Be Extravagant Beyond the Necessities, Which Will Not Be Great.

It is urged by some who are opposed to the organization of a park district to embrace the whole of the Township of Dixon that the proposition should be defeated because the district would have the right to borrow money and become indebted to the extent of 3 per cent of the assessed valuation of the property in the district. It is apparently assumed by them that a great debt would be immediately created.

Let us consider the reasonableness of this objection. It can well be tested by an examination of the history of our other taxing bodies. A park district is no more apt to become involved in debt than is any other part of our government. It's commissioners, it is hoped, will be at least as honest and able as have been our school directors, aldermen, supervisors and highway commissioners.

The demands upon a city, county and township are at least as great and probably greater than those ever to be made upon a park district.

An examination into the history of the past may be alike useful and instructive as indicating the probabilities of the future. Let us see what powers our other officers have had for years and what they have done in the way of creating a bonded indebtedness.

The City of Dixon has power to become indebted to the extent of \$135,000. It now has outstanding less than \$30,000, and all issued for the purpose of building the city hall.

The south side school district has power to issue bonds to the extent of \$107,000. There are now bonds to the amount of \$52,000 outstanding, all sold to provide the means for the construction of school buildings.

The north side school district has power to issue bonds to the amount of \$45,000. There are now bonds to the amount of \$7,000, also all for building purposes.

The Town of Dixon has power to issue bonds in the sum of \$35,000 for building hard roads. It has no bonded indebtedness.

Lee county has the right to become indebted and to issue bonds to the amount of \$901,000. It now has bonds out to the amount of \$20,000, being the balance unpaid of the court, and no debt of any other kind.

There is no limit to the amount of indebtedness that may be incurred by the State of Illinois, yet the state does not owe a dollar.

It would seem, therefore, that the danger of debt is more imaginary than real. The suggestion of it is a mere bugaboo, a scarecrow to frighten people who do not think.

There is no more danger of debt from this course than there has been in the past 50 years from similar disaster through the agency of our other officers. A decent respect for public opinion, or a fear of unpleasant consequences in the event of breach of duty, is always present in the mind of any public official that Dixon has ever had or ever will have.

Furthermore, by a law passed in 1909, it is provided that the aggregate of all taxes for general purposes levied by the city, county, town, school district and other taxing bodies shall not exceed 3 per cent of the assessed value in the district. If the aggregate of all such taxes as levied exceeds such amount of 3 per cent the county clerk is required by law to scale down all of the levies so that the aggregate of all will be 3 per cent. This forever prevents excessive taxation in Illinois and the people of Dixon can never be taxed to an appreciable extent above what they are today.

DIXON CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION.

## PETERS' TEAM TOOK THREE FROM SELF'S

GAINED SLIGHTLY ON LEADERS; HEFLEY AND SELF WILL MEET MONDAY.

Self's and Peters' teams met at the Vaile & Tippet alleys last evening, and Peters' team ran away with each of the three games, and incidentally gained slightly on Poole's players, who are leading the league.

Standing of the league:

	G	Pins
Poole .....	24	18765
Peters .....	24	18598
Moore .....	24	18000
Self .....	24	17182
Hefley .....	18	12799

Last night's scores:

Peters' Team.		
Reilly .....	142	112 179
Peters .....	190	179 172
Leivan .....	145	186 162
Graff .....	135	129 143
Devine .....	180	131 142
Totals .....	792	737 798
Grand total—2327.		

Self's Team.

Gray .....	158	118 116
Self .....	165	141 115
Fordham .....	139	124 108
Salzman .....	129	128 137
Gylleck .....	132	148 132
Totals .....	723	659 608
Grand total—1990.		

Hefley's and Self's teams will meet Monday evening and the contest should be interesting, for the Hefley bowlers are going to make a determined effort to get out of the last place.

## JUDGE IS PREPARING SANDER'S SENTENCE

YOUNG MAN WILL KNOW HIS FATE AT 1:30 O'CLOCK MONDAY P. M.

Coolly and with the same self-possession that has marked his demeanor since he gave himself up last August after shooting his wife and mother-in-law, Warren Sanders is awaiting his sentence for the crime to which he entered a plea of guilty.

In the meantime Judge Farran is carefully reviewing every bit of testimony that was offered and is preparing his sentence, which will be delivered on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

## DR. SHEETS BEGINS INTERESTING SERIES

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES AT M. E. CHURCH PROMISE TO BE SUCCESSFUL.

A large audience heard the lecture by Rev. F. H. Sheets at the Methodist church last night. Dr. Sheets spoke concerning his trip through India and illustrated his lecture with pictures which he made there. The views were as fine a set of travel pictures as have ever been shown in Dixon.

Tomorrow morning Dr. Sheets will address the Sunday school at the Methodist church, preaches at the morning service and in the evening deliver his second illustrated lecture on his travel, the subject Sunday evening being 'China, Old and New.'

### FATHER DIES.

Wm. Odenthal received word this morning of the death of his father, at Columbus, Neb. Mr. Odenthal was 87 years of age and hale and hearty up to the time of his death, which was very sudden.

Mrs. Charles Hamilton has returned from Chicago after a short visit with her mother.

Mrs. A. J. Waite of California arrived this morning to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Herman Frey, at Polo this afternoon.

Miss Bessie Edous returned from Jerseyville yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Fisel of Nachusa has been quite ill the past week.

H. A. Brooks went to Canton last evening.

## PIPE ORGAN BEING BUILT IN DIXON

JOHN E. BYINGTON HAS MANUFACTORY IN THIS CITY—FIRST ORGAN BUILT.

### ORDERED BY PRINCETON THEATRE

Musicians Have Tested Instrument And Pronounce It Most Excellent.

John E. Byington, who for the past fifteen years has been one of the leading piano and pipe organ tuners in this section of the state, has added another industry to Dixon's varied products, the new acquisition being a pipe organ manufactory.

For, although he has been tuning and repairing organs for nearly a decade, the local tuner has just completed the manufacture of his first pipe organ, an instrument 11 feet wide and 16 feet high, which will be installed in O. W. Stevens' Eagle theatre at Princeton, Ill., to whom it was sold for \$1,350.

### Is Excellent Instrument.

The organ has been examined and tested by many leading organists of this section and all pronounce it a splendid instrument. It is equipped with electric blower and is operated on the tracker action system, though Mr. Byington has embraced some new features in the action. A perfected on-and-off system of coupler is used, the pistons being placed between the manuals. The case is finished in Early English oak and is handsome in every particular.

All musicians who have tried the organ have expressed delight with the tone and the light and responsive action. Mr. Byington, having successfully completed his first organ, will at once commence enlarging his facilities to take care of the other orders he has, and the indications are that the business will grow steadily.

## PROGRESSIVES ARE ASKED TO FREEPORT

BIG BANQUET WILL BE HELD ON FEB. 13—H. L. FORDHAM ONE OF SPEAKERS.

The progressives of the 13th congressional district have been invited to attend a progressive banquet on Thursday, Feb. 13th, at 7 p. m., at the Masonic Temple, in Freeport. Among the speakers are Hon. Chas. E. Merriam of Chicago and H. L. Fordham of this city. A large attendance is desired to keep alive the progressive spirit of the 13th district. Those who wish to attend are asked to report to William H. Winn before February 1st.

## RESIDENT OF HARMON DIED

JAS. LAYDEN OF HARMON DIED YESTERDAY—DEATH IS MOURNED BY ALL.

James Layden, aged 57 the 25th of March, died at his home in Harmon at 6 p. m. yesterday from an illness of five months with paralysis. He was born in Pittsburg, Pa., coming west when a child and settling near Peoria, later moving to Harmon. He was married to Catherine Carroll at Brunsfield, Peoria county, 36 years ago and leaves to mourn his loss his wife and two children, John Layden and Mrs. Wilbur Getchel, both of Harmon; Thomas, who preceded him in death May 7, 1912; three sisters and four brothers: Mrs. Mary Church of St. Louis; Mrs. Julia Eberly of St. Louis; John and Richard of Texas; P. T. Loden of Keefer, Okla.; Daniel of St. Louis and Mrs. Lizzie Warren of Peoria.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at St. Flannen's Catholic church, in Harmon, and interment at the Holy Cross cemetery, conducted by Father McKeon.

David Ditzler is down from Hazelwood today.

C. C. Wilhelm of route 5 was here today.

## BADLY BURNED BY HANDLING WIRE

AMBOY YOUNG MAN BECAME ENTANGLED WITH LIVE WIRE—HANDS BURNED TO THE BONE

Harry Turner, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turner, had a bad mix-up with as electric wire at Amboy early Thursday morning and received serious burns.

The accident occurred near Edwards' livery barn. The young man had been attending a dance in town, and after its conclusion went to the livery barn for his team and started for home. A telephone wire had fallen down, crossing an electric light wire and in the dark he drove onto it. One of his horses became entangled in it and fell. He got out to see what was the matter and laid hold of the wire, receiving a shock which knocked him down. Both hands were burned to the bone. Several men in the neighborhood, hearing his cries, went to his assistance and word was sent to the power house to have the power shut off. The young man was picked up and taken home, and the team was cared for in the Edwards livery barn.

## DIXON INTERMEDIATES SLAUGHTER STERLING

LOCAL BOYS PLAY HORSE WITH THE VISITORS AND WIN EASILY, 61 TO 15.

The Dixon Y. M. C. A. Intermediates got ample revenge on Sterling for the trimming the Sterling high school basketball team handed the local union high school aggregation a few weeks ago. Last evening's contest between the Sterling and Dixon intermediates was not a 'trimming' in the strict sense of the word; in fact it was a slaughter for at no time did the Sterling boys have a look-in and had the locals not eased up in the second half and played horse with the visitors, the Sterling boys would not have known they were in the game.

At the end of the first half the score was 35 to 2 in favor of the locals, with everyone wondering how Sterling got the 2. Then the locals, tired because of their exertions in the beginning and sympathetic for the overwhelmed Sterlings, shut off steam and moved along just fast enough to keep going. The final score was Dixon, 61; Sterling, 15.

The union high school team lost to Dixon college in the preliminaries, 35 to 26.

## TURKEY HAS MORE TROUBLE; QUAKE

SERIOUS TREMOR EXPERIENCED THIS MORNING—NO DEATHS ARE REPORTED.

Constantinople, Jan. 25.—Special to Telegraph—A serious earthquake shook this city today, but as far as is known no fatalities resulted.

### ELECTRIC WORKERS TO MEET IN STERLING

The convention of the Northern Illinois Section of the National Electrical Workers' association is to be held at Sterling on January 31 and it is anticipated that at least 200 electrical workers will spend the day in discussing electrical topics of interest.

### CONVICTS MADE BREAK FOR LIBERTY

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 25.—Special to Telegraph—One hundred convicts at work on a broken levee at Beulah, Miss., made a dash for liberty today, and in the battle with the guards following several of the convicts and two officers were wounded. All the convicts were captured.

Chas. Pizer of Grand Detour is in town today.

M. L. Dysart of Nachusa was here today.

John Burridge and Francis Dauntler are new violin students at the College of Music.

## WHAT MONDAY'S ELECTION MEANS

ALL VOTERS IN DIXON TOWNSHIP SHOULD VOTE ON QUESTION.

### SHALL WE ORGANIZE PARK DISTRICT

Vote for Five Men—Present Candidates Above Reproach—Polls Are Open From Seven to Five—Citizens' Association Endorses Plan.

The election to be held on Monday, on the question of organizing a Park District to embrace all of the township of Dixon, should not be forgotten by the voters.

There are two election precincts. All of the voters in the township living east and south of Rock river will vote at the city hall and those living north and west of the river will vote at Anderson's shop on Fellows street. The polls will be open from 7 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m.

The question to be voted on will be "For Park District" or "Against Park District." The Australian ballot system is not used, but the ballots are of the same character as used in the school election. Both propositions are printed on all of the ballots and the voter should draw a line through the proposition he is against. In other words, if you wish to vote in favor of the organization of the District, then draw a line through the word "Against Park District" and leave the words "For Park District" unmarked. This will count as a vote in favor of the organization of the district.

At the same election five Park Commissioners will be voted for. If the proposition to organize the district carried, then at the same time the commissioners will be elected and if the proposition fails of course no one is elected even though candidates are voted for. The matter is handled in this way so as to avoid the necessity of holding two elections in case the proposition carries.

There have been but five candidates for Commissioner so far announced and five are to be elected.

Those who are now candidates are E. N. Howell, Wm. B. McMahan, Henry S. Dixon, Edward Vaile and John B. Crabtree. In voting for Commissioner it is not necessary to mark or cross after any of the names, but the voter should vote for five candidates but be careful not to vote for more than five in the event that any additional names should be presented, for a vote for more than five would result in the ballot not being counted for any.

## NETTZ & HART OPEN NEW GARAGE TODAY

MANY VISITORS ADMIRE HANDSOME AUTOS AND COMMODIOUS QUARTERS.

Nettz & Hart opened their garage in the new Downing building on First, today, and all day a large number of visitors have called to admire the excellent show room and large display of handsome Auburn cars which the firm has on exhibition. Demonstrations of the popular automobile were made and much interest was aroused in them. The firm now has one of the most commodious and complete garages in this section of the state.

### ASSAULT CASE WAS CONTINUED A WEEK

The case of the people vs. Edward McBride and Edward McFadden of East Grove, charged with assault with intent to do bodily injury on the person of John McInehenny, was called before Justice Hanneken this afternoon and the testimony of the complaining witness was taken, following which the case was continued until 11 o'clock next Saturday morning.

### POULTRY ASSOCIATION HAS BUSY MEETING

A busy session of the Dixon Poultry association, at which business of the recent chicken show was transacted, was held last evening at the Youngman coal office.

## Social Happenings

### Schaefer-Schulte

Miss Lena S. Schaefer of Marion and August Schulte of Harmon were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at German Lutheran parsonage in Dixon, Rev. Theodore Drexel performing the ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Minnie Schulte, sister of the groom and Charles Gerdes.

The bride was dressed in a pretty gown of white silk with white picture hat. After the ceremony the bridal party went to Harmon where a wedding supper was served and where the evening was spent socially.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Schaefer of Marion and has many friends there.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Schulte of Harmon and is well liked by all who know him.

Mr. and Mrs. Schulte will be at home after March 1, on a farm near Harmon.

### Six O'Clock Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Angier Wilson entertained a few friends at 6 o'clock dinner on Thursday evening at their home on North Galena avenue.

### Scramble Supper

The young ladies of Mrs. H. L. Fordham's Sunday school class of the Methodist church enjoyed a scramble supper last evening at 6 o'clock at the church.

### Meister-Becker.

The marriage of Anton Becker of Maytown and Miss Margaret Meister of West Brooklyn, will take place at West Brooklyn next Tuesday, Jan. 28th.

### Scramble Tea

Mrs. Louise Steel entertained the Hamilton Whist club at a scramble tea last evening.

### Scramble Supper Club

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Downing will entertain the members of the Scramble Supper club Monday evening.

### Sunoida Club

The Sunoida club was entertained at the home of Mrs. S. W. Lehman of Bluff Park on Thursday evening.

### Current Topics Club

The Current Topics club will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Isadore Eichler, 316 Fifth St.

### Were Surprised.

On Monday evening a crowd of neighbors and friends to the number of forty gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schuck in Palmyra and surprised them. The party was given as a farewell, as they are soon to move to a farm in South Dixon. The evening was spent in music and games and at about midnight a delicious scramble supper was served. Richard Schuck, in behalf of those present, presented the host and hostess with a small Brussels rug and a linen tablecloth. At a late hour all departed for their homes, expressing a wish to be with Mr. and Mrs. Schuck at some future time in their new home.

## Your Eyes

are the windows of your soul. Their use enlightens the mind. They inspire the best in life. But their abuse brings

### HEADACHES

and many NERVOUS ILLS. The optic nerves often warn us of their misuse by dark spots falling upon the type, again by

### BLIND SPELLS

that last for a few moments to an hour or more. These symptoms indicate that the sufferer is exhausting the nerve force. Very often

### NERVOUS COLLAPSE

and prostration result if thorough treatment to QUIET the nerves and to NOURISH the over-active brain is not taken while the sufferer is young.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,  
Neurologist & Health Instructor  
223 Crawford Avenue, Dixon.  
Appointments Secure Prompt Service.

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH WELCOMES NEW PASTOR

Last evening the members and friends of the Congregational church West Side, gave a reception to their new pastor, Rev. C. E. Stebbins, and family. The church was well filled by the people of the neighborhood, who made the occasion one of general rejoicing. The meeting was presided over by Deacon Gray, who in a very happy way introduced the speakers. Rev. I. B. Helsey led in an appropriate prayer and Dr. Altman brought the greetings of his church and spoke of the pleasant relations that existed among the churches and the hopeful outlook for the West Side church. He was followed by Dr. Crissman, Dr. McWethy, Prof. Miller, county superintendent of schools and Prof. Hawley of the College. Mr. Stebbins was introduced and responded to the kind and cordial welcome. All seemed to feel that the time for a forward movement for the West Side church had come. The increased interest in the church and the improving industrial condition gives a most promising outlook for the future; many pledges of fidelity to the church were made by individuals of the neighborhood. At the conclusion of the program all adjourned to the dining room, which had been tastefully decorated by the ladies, where light refreshments were served to all. After a social hour all went home, feeling that a new day of prosperity had dawned for the West Side Congregational church.

### To Attend Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chronister are spending the week in Chicago, the guests of relatives and friends. While in the city they will attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Geiger.

### Dinner Party.

Mrs. Geo. W. Hill entertained at a dinner party yesterday in a most delightful manner for Mrs. Mary Jane Ackert of North Dakota and Mrs. Hettie Williams of Manson, Ia. Covers were laid for eight.

### Delightful Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker of Lee Center, who on Wednesday celebrated the anniversary of their golden wedding, last evening were delightfully surprised by about 30 friends and neighbors, who gathered at the pleasant home for an evening of recreation and social intercourse. Games and music were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Baker are among the most highly esteemed citizens of Lee Center and the friends present gave evidence of this fact in presenting the worthy couple with a handsome rocking chair. During the evening Rev. Kempster re-married the couple, performing the ceremony which had been performed in Newark, N. J., 50 years ago. The evening proved a delightful one for all and the guests will have many happy memories of the same. They all wished Mr. and Mrs. Baker many more happy years of peaceful wedded life.

### Progressive Industrial Club.

On Wednesday evening the Progressive Industrial club of Palmyra met with their secretary, Mrs. Jacob Schuck. The evening was spent in sewing carpet rags. At about 9:30 work was suspended, a business meeting was held and then all the guests were provided with clothes pin and tissue paper and told to make a doll. The judges decided in favor of Mrs. Harvey Eggerichs and Miss Nellie Parker. A delicious oyster supper was then served by the hostess and her sister, Ruth McClannahan, after which all departed for home. The meeting will long be remembered with happiest memories as Mrs. Schuck expects to move soon to South Dixon.

### Social a Success.

The social held Friday night at the Cook school on the Dixon and Rock Falls road, was a great success both socially and financially, \$35.10 being net proceeds. Miss Lucile Guptill's basket brought the highest price, \$2.10. Miss Levan is the teacher of the school, and is to be congratulated upon the successful culmination of the affair.

### Two for Initiation.

There will be two candidates for Initiation Monday night at the meeting of Odd Fellows at I. O. O. F. hall. All members are requested to attend.

### Classes Entertained

Thirty-five members of the Sunday school classes taught by I. R. Evine and Miss Maud Selby, of the Presbyterian church, were entertained last evening with a chicken dinner in the banquet hall of that church.

### Charity Ball Monday.

The Jolite club charity ball Monday evening promises to be a great success. The members of the club are Corine Elchler, Margerite Cahill, Avis Thompson, Myrtle Rice, Vivian Glessner, Neva Phillips and Josephine Astin. The patronesses will be Miss Franc Ingraham and Mesdames Z. W. Moss, C. H. McKenney, Sam Watson and C. A. Dement. The decorations will be in Japanese art and the music will be furnished by the Marquette orchestra.

### Coming Weddings.

Announcement of the coming marriages of Paul Halbmaier to Miss Kathryn Dinges and Anton Becker of Sublette to Miss Margaret Meister were made in St. Mary's church last Sunday.

## FROM THE MOUTHS OF TOTS

Examples of Really Humorous Things That Have Their Origin in Youthful Brains.

This unique rendition of the Twenty-third Psalm is credited to a little colored sister:

"De Lawd am de Sheperd—I shall not want—He makey me lie—Down in green pastures he restorey my soul—an' leady me side de still waters—Ya, doe I walks thru de valleys of de shadows ob deaf, I will fear no debill fer he is wid me. Dye rod an' dye staff comfortable me—Doe spready vitels as presents fer de folks I doan like an' poed kersene on my haid till my cup hits so full hit ain't gwine hole no mo'."

Little James is a manly lad of four years. He has a great dislike for the curls with which nature has so lavishly endowed him and a great fondness for the forbidden beverage, coffee. One day, thinking to discourage his desire for the latter, he was told that it had a tendency to make the hair more curly. That night James cried in his sleep, thus explaining the cause of his woe the next morning:

"Oh, mother, I had an awful dream last night. I dreamed, I drank so much coffee that my hair grew into one big curl on the top of my head and the barber couldn't cut it off!"

### Indian Rice Rolls.

The cultivation of rice in India includes diverse varieties, differing in size, shape and color of grain, as well as in suitability for culinary purposes.

More than seventy million acres are annually put under rice in India, and samples of all the varieties produced have recently been analyzed in England. One of these is peculiar in that it is too glutinous to be boiled in the ordinary way. This difficulty is avoided by boiling it in bamboo tubes, and after being thus prepared it is left in the tubes to be eaten cold, especially by travelers. When the rice is eaten the bamboo is peeled off and a long roll of rice appears, which forms an excellent substitute for bread.—Harper's Weekly.

### DAN TUTTLE MAKES

#### LAST RUN NEXT WEEK

One week from today Dan Tuttle will make his last run on the Sterling passenger and will retire, drawing a pension from the Northwestern. Mr. Tuttle has a most remarkable record as a railroad man.

### NEW PARCEL POST CAR ON NORTHWESTERN

A new parcel post car will be added to passenger trains Nos. 17 and 18 on the Northwestern on Monday. This train will stop at every station between Chicago and Des Moines.

### LICENSED TO WED

Marriage licenses have been issued to Charles A. Gentry and Miss Margaret Henry, both of Compton, and H. A. Ladenburger and Miss Eva F. Willard, both of West Brooklyn.

## FOR A BAD STOMACH PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN

Time! In Five Minutes You Will Wonder What Became of the Gas, Sourness and Dyspepsia.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes such misery vanish in five minutes.

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From Headache, Backache, Dizziness and Nervousness, Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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I always had pain and was irregular. During the delay I suffered a great deal with headache, backache, dizziness, feverish spells, nervousness and bloating. I had been married nearly three years. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now

I feel better than I have for years. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all who suffer as I did."

—Mrs. M. ZEUNER, 1045 New Jersey Street, Lawrence, Kansas.

Montana Woman's Case.

Burns, Mont.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me of awful backache which I had suffered with for months. I was so weak I could hardly do my work and my head and eyes ached all the time. Your Compound helped me in many ways and is a great strengthener. I always recommend it to my friends and tell them what a grand medicine it is for women. You may use my name for the good of others."

—Mrs. JOHN FRANCIS, Burns, Montana. The makers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have thousands of such letters as those above—they tell the truth, else they could not have been obtained for love or money. This medicine is no stranger—it has stood the test for years.

## RETURNING TO DIXON Drs. Haley and Howe

representing the Associated Physicians and Surgeons of Illinois, located permanently in the (Arcade Bldg.) Peoria, Ill., will be at Nachusa House Jan. 30th, Thursday, remaining one day only. Hours 9:00 a. m. to 5 p. m. Returning every month regularly. Consultation and examination free of charge.

The Associated Specialists licensed by the State Board of Illinois for the treatment of Deformities and all chronic diseases of Men, Women, and Children, offer to all who call for consultation on this trip, Consultation, Examination, and Advice Free, making no charge whatever, except the actual cost of medicines. All that is asked in return for these services is that every person taking treatment will state the results obtained to their friends, who may be afflicted in like manner, and thus prove to those suffering from chronic and obscure diseases which have baffled the skill of the general practitioner in every city and locality, that at last a system of treatment has been discovered and adopted by the most eminent members of the medical profession, that is reasonably certain of resulting in a complete and permanent cure.

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If you have kidney or bladder trouble, bring a two ounce bottle of urine for Chemical and Microscopical Analysis.

Remember, this free offer is for this visit only. Married ladies must call with their husbands and minors with their parents.

Remember the date and call early.

Wm. G. Hartshorn returned to his home near Rock Falls yesterday afternoon.

M. R. Meppin is spending the day here on business.

Mrs. Henry Semler of Ashton was in Dixon today.

## City In Brief

H. H. Heinze of the I. N. U., and wife are spending the day in Chicago, where Mr. Heinze is transacting business in the interest of his company.

W. W. Gilbert and wife are in Chicago today.

H. R. Davlin and sister, Miss Sarah Davlin, were in Amboy yesterday on business.

Word has been received by Dixon relatives that Miss Gladys Hill, who is studying trained nursing at the Rockford hospital, is ill with diphtheria. Her condition is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Merle McCartney motored to Sterling today.

Mrs. James Scott of Palmyra was here Friday.

Miss Ethel Shoemaker of Eldena is here to spend Sunday.

Alvin Wade of Polo was here Friday.

Emory Wolf of Ashton was here yesterday.

Judge Ward of Sterling was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Teeter will spend Sunday with relatives in Grand Detour.

## FACE ALL RED SPOTS AND BLISTERS

Rubbed and Scratched, Would Cry and Fret. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Face Got Well.

632 N. 5th St., Terre Haute, Ind.—"My little nephew, a boy of four years, had a breaking out on his face. It was little red spots at first then he would rub and scratch and water blisters would form and wherever the water would run another would come until his face was covered with them. He would cry and fret. His mother got some medicine, but it did not do any good. He would scream and cry and say it hurt. We hardly knew him, his little face was all red spots and blisters. So I begged him to let me put some Cuticura Ointment on them. The next morning I made a strong soap suds with Cuticura Soap and washed his face in the warm suds. The little blisters burst by pressing the cloth on them. After I had his face washed, I put the Cuticura Ointment on and in a short time his little face was all red and dry. I kept using the Cuticura Soap and putting on the Cuticura Ointment and his face got well and it did not leave a scar. He was entirely cured in about one week and a half." (Signed) Mrs. Arthur Haworth, Jan. 10, 1912.

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## DEMENTTOWN ... DOINGS

The sweetest thing to call a girl is a 'marshmallow,' especially if she uses powder much.

There is one kind of package that can not be sent by parcel post—and every man has to carry that kind home himself.

Our friend, B. F. Downing, tells us of the swiftest ride he ever took in an automobile. He says they went so fast that they once in a while they had to stop and let the rear wheels catch up.

Speaking of autos reminds us that usually the most unpleasant thing about a car is the fur. Didn't know autos had fur. Sure they have. Ever hear of an auto being operated by anybody but a show-fur?

Man may have descended from the monkey, but if he did there are some who didn't get very far.

Lightness on one's feet can be acquired by persistent practice on the parallel bars or by climbing telephone poles, but in each case the performer should be careful not to light on his head.

### Goose Hollow Letter

Prof. E. Pluribus Jenkins, the new superintendent of the Goose Hollow schools, will give a movin' picture lecture with 4500 feet of film at the school house next Thursday evening, showin' the working of the human system and how to reduce the high cost of livin'. He will show how the human stomach runnin' on high the speed and digestin' breakfast food, and again on secondary speed, digestin' corned beef and cabbage. He will also show the effects of whisky on the thorax. A free will offering will be taken and the professor will get enough to pay for printin' the handbills if he is lucky. If the prof. had lived in our midst very long he would take time by the forelock and charge admission at the door.

Lem Higgins has been practicin' on the fair ground track every day. He expects to run for constable or vil lage clerk next spring.

### END DISGUSTING

## CATARRH

MONEY BACK FROM ROWLAND BROS. IF CATARRH MISERY DOES NOT LEAVE YOU

Try the sure way. Breathe Booth's HYOMEI over the sore, germ infected membrane, kill the germs and heal the sore spots.

Use the little inhaler that comes with each \$1.00 outfit five times through the day. At night use the vapor breathing treatment as directed.

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A city of unusual charm and of great interest to the visitor. Send for illustrated booklet, "New Orleans for the Tourist."

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Illinois Central to New Orleans, and semi-weekly steamships of the United Fruit Co. to Colon, Panama and Central American ports. The Hamburg American Line will operate two cruises to Jamaica, Panama and Havana, leaving New Orleans January 23 and February 10, 1913. The "Tourist's Panama, Costa Rica, Guatemala" illustrated booklet, sent on application.

VICKSBURG, MISS.

Contains Vicksburg National Military Park, commemorating the siege and defense of the city. An interesting place to visit en route to New Orleans. Send for handsomely illustrated books entitled "Vicksburg for the Tourist," and "Siege and Defense of Vicksburg."

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TEMA TEMPLE IS

NOW A CERTAINTY

Rockford Republic: Masonic temple plans have undergone considerable change in the past few days, owing to the final and decisive action of the commandery, chapter and blue lodges. These branches of the order have threshed out the question of uniting with Tebala Shrine in building a splendid lodge hall in this way: They do not care to share their hall with the Shriners but they will go in with them in erecting a splendid Masonic building. Both will be behind the same fine front and under the same roof but each will have its own individual lodge hall. The property rights will be distinct, the commandery, chapter and blue lodge having purchased the south 53 feet of the Reynolds lot at the corner of Main street and Park avenue and that part of the temple erected upon this lot will be the property of the three lodges named.

The idea of building upon commercial property and renting the lower stories of the building was abandoned for the reason that too much labor would thus be thrust upon unpaid committeemen. An immense dining room, accommodating 1,000 people is planned. In this and every other detail the proposed Shrine and lodge hall quarters will be on a par with the very best Masonic architecture in the west.

## COREY OPPOSED STEEL MERGER

Declares Deal Was Consummated Despite His Active Opposition.

SAID PRICE PAID TOO HIGH

"Nuisance Price" of \$250 a Share Was Placed on Property by John W. Gates, He Affirms—Was a Rail Competitor.

New York, Jan. 25.—The Tennessee Coal and Iron company was taken over by the United States Steel corporation during the panic of 1907 despite the protests of the corporation's president, William E. Corey.

Mr. Corey himself so testified under cross-examination at the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the corporation. He declared he had not concurred in the purchase because the price paid was too high. This price was the equivalent of \$119 a share. Mr. Corey said he did not believe the stock was worth more than \$50 a share. He added that John W. Gates and others who controlled Tennessee Coal and Iron had placed a "nuisance value" on the property.

"Mr. Gates told me that the stock was cheap at \$250 a share," Corey testified. "I invariably replied that he was \$200 too high."

Was a Rail Competitor.

Despite all efforts of attorneys for the corporation to confute his testimony, Mr. Corey persisted in his contention that the Tennessee Coal and Iron company was and would have continued a steel rail competitor of the United States Steel corporation if it had not been taken over. One reason was because of the "nuisance value." He admitted that the company could not at that time make its open hearth steel rails at a profit, but said it would have soon been able to reduce its costs.

For two days Mr. Corey has given testimony bearing on the contention of the government, that the corporation is a monopolistic combination. He was examined by C. A. Severance.

Mr. Corey was asked concerning the steel rail pool among American manufacturers, including the corporation. He said that the pool was a "hang-over" from a pool that existed before the corporation was organized. It was broken up, he said, in 1904 or 1905.

Thereafter, Mr. Corey testified, some other manufacturers wanted to raise the price on several occasions, but the Steel corporation declined.

Since 1904 the price of steel rails, Mr. Corey said, have not varied from \$23 a ton.

"For several years," he added, "prices of steel rails have been higher in France, Germany, Austria, Italy and Russia than here."

Explains World Pool.

Taking up the international steel rail pool, Mr. Corey testified, some other manufacturers wanted to raise the price on several occasions, but the Steel corporation declined.

"It was not the common custom to do so," Mr. Corey replied.

Mr. Severance asked if the witness did not recall cabling to James A. Farrell, when Mr. Farrell was abroad, asking him to ascertain at what price rails had been shipped from Belgium to the Pacific coast for consumption by the Harriman lines.

"I remember that I cabled Mr. Farrell to that effect," Mr. Corey replied, "but I am not prepared to say whether it was before or after the period you refer to."

This period ended in 1910.

## THREE AIR MEN SLAIN

Frank Boland, an American, Killed at Port of Spain.

Two Frenchmen Plunge to Their Death at Etampes, France—Flies Over the Pyrenees.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Jan. 25.—Frank Boland, an American aviator, was killed while flying here. After successful flights in Venezuela, he had arranged to give a long exhibition flight here today. The weather condition being perfect, he decided to make a trial flight. He was returning to the landing place when his biplane suddenly dived and struck the ground with terrific force. Boland was found dead beneath it.

Etampes, France, Jan. 25.—Two French airmen were killed here while making a flight in a monoplane. Charles Nieuport and his mechanic were flying at a considerable height when their machine doubled up and fell to earth, killing both of them instantly.

Charles Nieuport was a wealthy manufacturer. He had achieved great success as a builder of fast monoplanes. He received his pilot's certificate on February 13 last year.

Paul, France, Jan. 25.—M. Hider, a French aviator, left here at dawn and flew across the Pyrenees from France to Spain. The air man ascended to a height of 9,000 feet and then set his course in a straight line over the peaks, landing without mishap.

MAHMOUD SHEFKET PASHA



Mahmoud Shefket Pasha has been made grand vizier of Turkey, succeeding Kiamil Pasha, who was forced to resign.

## MAN'S MISERY ENDED

Texas Holocaust Victim Is Relieved of Suffering.

Pinned Down, With Legs Half Burned Away, His Cries to Be Killed Are Answered.

McKinney, Tex., Jan. 25.—A pall of smoke and dust hanging over the collapsed department store where at least eight persons were killed, furnished McKinney a gruesome reminder of the catastrophe. Not until morning did the awful fate of E. N. Presley, a clerk, become known. After the collapse of the building Presley was found pinned under heavy timbers and debris. Hard work failed to extricate him and fire commenced to burn his feet. He cried piteously to rescuers to shoot him. When they refused he begged a physician standing near to relieve him of his suffering. When he hesitated Presley screamed in agony and the doctor stepped up and gave him such a strong hypodermic injection that he died in convulsions a minute afterward. Presley's wife, who was in Dallas, arrived on the scene a few minutes afterwards.

Leslie Bush, aged sixty-seven, a banker of Allyn, suffered a fate almost as tragic. Pinned by debris, he begged searchers to kill him. They worked an hour trying to free him, his moans becoming weaker and weaker. He was dead when liberated. Business houses and schools are closed. Employees declare that the building was so rotten with age that it could not withstand the strain longer and that they had been expecting a collapse for years.

## EXTRADITION OF SOLO UP

Wyoming Lawmaker Alleged to Be Fugitive from Eastern State.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 25.—Alleging that Representative E. H. Manson of Sweetwater county is F. E. Roberts, wanted in McDowell county, West Virginia, for illegally obtaining \$900 of school funds in 1903, Sheriff J. F. Johnson of McDowell county at noon presented to Gov. Joseph M. Carey a request from Gov. Glasscock for a requisition for the deportation of Manson.

## TO BAR WOMAN SMOKERS

Bill Up in Massachusetts to Stop Use of Tobacco by Fair Sex.

Boston, Jan. 25.—Every woman who smokes cigarettes is lowering the standard of womankind, according to Representative Frederick P. Greenwood of Everett, who appeared before the committee on public health of the legislature in support of a bill providing a fine of not more than \$50 for any person who gives or sells tobacco in any form to a woman.

## SELECT 9 DARROW JURORS

Trial Is Adjourned Over to Monday—Two Venires Exhausted.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 25.—Nine permanent jurors, a tenth sworn, but facing a peremptory challenge, and two venires totaling 200 names exhausted, is the progress made during the first week of the second trial of Clarence Darrow, charged with jury bribery in the McNamara case, in which he was chief counsel for the defense. Trial adjourned to Monday.

## Portugal Setback for Pope.

Lisbon, Portugal, Jan. 25.—The minister of justice has promulgated a decree prohibiting the circulation in Portugal of the pontifical declaration contained in one of the clauses of the laws of the apostolic see.

One Killed; Two Hurt in Crash. Huron, S. D., Jan. 25.—August Zarow of Chicago was killed and Earl and Will Medigar, brothers living here, seriously hurt when the automobile they were driving to the Medigar farm turned turtle.

## SULTAN FORCED TO QUIT THRONE

Young Turks Proclaim Republic at Constantinople Is the Report.

PEACE DELEGATES ARE EXCITED

Members of Cabinet at Turkish Capital Decide to Recall Delegates From London and Summon Ambassadors.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Budapest says a report has reached that city from Constantinople that the sultan has been dethroned and a republic proclaimed by the Young Turks. No confirmation of this report has been obtained so far.

London, Jan. 25.—Italian, British and other warships have been ordered to proceed immediately to Turkish waters, according to dispatches from Mediterranean ports.

London, Jan. 25.—The new Turkish cabinet has decided to recall the Ottoman peace delegates from London, according to a dispatch from Constantinople. The Turkish government is said also to have requested its ambassadors at Vienna and St. Petersburg to return to the Turkish capital. Enver Bey, leader of the Young Turks, was appointed chief of the general staff of the Turkish army.

At the headquarters of all the peace delegations the greatest activity and excitement prevailed. Cipher telegrams from Sofia, Belgrade, Athens and Cettinje crossed messages from London. Heads of the four delegations held several meetings.

The allies seem disposed to consider the revolution in Constantinople as an affront to the European powers more than to themselves. The delegates consider the resumption of the war next week almost inevitable.

Let Powers Deal With Turkey, Is Plea

There are, however, two currents of opinion among the representatives of the Balkan league. One of these is in favor of asking Sir Edward Grey as honorary president of the peace conference immediately to convoke a session of the delegates at which the resumption of hostilities will be declared.

The other urges that the powers should first be allowed to deal with Turkey.

The European governments are already in communication with regard to the situation. The view here is that the reply of Turkey to the note of the powers must be awaited before any drastic action can be inaugurated.

Fighting in Constantinople.

Constantinople, Jan. 25.—Fighting has occurred at several places in the city. A dozen or more persons have been wounded and many arrests have been made.

Great public excitement followed the killing of Nazim Pasha, the former war minister and commander of the Turkish army.

The new cabinet is: Grand Vizier and Minister of War—Mahmoud Shefket Pasha. President of Council of State—Said Halim.

Interior—Hadji Adil. Foreign Affairs (temporary)—Mukhtar Bey.

Marine—Tachurukula Mahmud. Justice—Ibrahim Pasha.

Finance—Rifat Bey. Public Works—Batzaria Effendi. Pious Foundations—Hairi Pasha.

Agriculture—Djalal Effendi. Posts—Osman Bey.

Public Instruction—Shukri Pasha.

Nazim's Funeral Held.

The funeral of Nazim Pasha took place during the morning. The new grand vizier and minister of war, Mahmud Shefket Pasha, an old comrade of the dead commander-in-chief, attended.

After the burial the members of the cabinet went to the palace and took the oath of allegiance to the sultan. Subsequently the retiring foreign minister, Noradunghuan Pasha, was called to a meeting of the cabinet council to explain the foreign situation.

The sultan went to the mosque at noon to attend the usual selamlak, at which Mahmud Shefket Pasha and Enver Bey also were present. The function passed off without incident.

Americans in Turkey Safe.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Fears for the safety of Americans in Turkey were put at rest by the receipt at the state department of a report from Ambassador Rockhill, saying that all Americans were safe and that there was no apparent hostility to them.

## SUFFRAGE WINS IN NEVADA

House Solons Pass Amendment by Big Majority—To Senate.

Reno, Nev., Jan. 25.—The assembly of the Nevada legislature passed the women suffrage amendment by an overwhelming majority. The bill now goes to the senate, where it is believed enough votes will be secured to send the measure to Governor Oddie for his signature.

Ex-Governor Brady Elected Senator. Boise, Idaho, Jan. 25.—Former Governor James H. Brady was elected United States senator for the short term on the joint ballot. He received 44 votes.

## "BLOOD IS THICKER THAN WATER"

Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves. Thinness of the blood, or anemia, is common in young folks as well as old. Especially is it the case with those who work in ill ventilated factories—or those who are shut up indoors in winter time with a coal stove burning up the oxygen or emitting carbonic (oxide) gas. This blood, or blood which lacks the red blood corpuscles, lungs, or by poor digestion or dyspepsia. Sometimes people suffer intense pain over the heart which is not heart disease at all, but caused by indigestion. Whatever the cause, there's just one remedy that you can turn to—knowing that it has given satisfaction for over 80 years.

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ture Located in Fulton Street,  
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In Fulton street, New York, there is one structure which, though classed as an office building, has more than two hundred separate industries. There are lapidaries of various kinds, among them diamond cutters and polishers, all from Amsterdam. There are manufacturing jewelers who take gold and gems and enhance their value many fold by their artistry. There is a woman shoemaker, with several Wall street information bureaus, a detective agency, burnishers of metals, workers in words—otherwise freelance writers—manufacturers of face cream and toilet preparations in general, well borer, shirtmakers, doctors, perfumers, architects, engravers, dealers in real estate, in cigars, in liquor. There is one firm which is the largest dealer in the world in black diamonds, the gems used for boring deep into the earth.

Moving Pictures in Japan.  
Japanese take the moving picture seriously. The favorite theme is the allegorical play that represents the warrior fighting for righteousness. Next in popularity comes the pathetic picture of the father who has lost his fortune, but who will educate his favorite son at any sacrifice. The educational film is also popular, and there is applause for good scenery. The love story is never represented in the Japanese moving picture. China also is a great lover of the cinematograph and willingly accepts a wide range of subjects, drawing the line at nothing except indecency. The favorite pictures in Turkey are those of American cowboys and Indians as well as detective dramas.

ROCHELLE SCOUTS  
PRAISE DIXON YREGISTER HAS ARTICLE CON-  
CERNING VISIT TO DIXON AS-  
SOCIATION SATURDAYConcerning the visit of the Ro-  
chelle Boy Scouts to Dixon last Sat-  
urday, the Rochelle Register has the  
following:Twenty-three live Boy Scouts and  
Scoutmaster Albertus Perry, at the  
courtesy of the board of directors of  
the Dixon Y. M. C. A. spent last Sat-  
urday in that institution.They were given the liberty of the  
entire building. In the morning the  
boys became acquainted with the  
swimming pool. This is a well con-  
structed pool 30x19, four feet at one  
end, eight feet at the other. After  
dinner the boys returned to the Y. M.  
C. A. and enjoyed bowling for an  
hour, when they again went to the  
pool. Those who were there for exam-  
ination as one of the steps prepara-  
tory to becoming a first class scout  
had to swim 150 feet.After the exam the boys went into  
the gym and enjoyed basketball un-  
til it was necessary for them to leave  
for the train.Every one not only had a good  
time, but received also from all the  
Dixon boys the most courteous treat-  
ment. It was a day long to be remem-  
bered. The Boy Scouts publicly  
thank Secretary Bailey and his board  
of directors for their kindness and  
generosity.

Profitable Fine.  
An amusing story is quoted by a  
Rand paper. It happened the other  
day that a British subject of Denon,  
who speaks Dutch only, was arraigned  
for not taking out a dog license. Jus-  
tice insists that an interpreter shall  
interpret, if required. The accused  
said "Yah," and a young man stepped  
from the body of the court, offered  
his services and was duly sworn. The  
accused was fined 5s., the interpreter's  
fee was 7s. 6d., so the municipality lost  
2s. 6d. over the transaction. It turned  
out afterward that the interpreter  
was the defendant's son. Ergo, the  
family was better off by half-a-crown  
as a result of the father's visit to the  
police court.

## COLLEGE NOTES

A number of our students are in  
attendance at the county examina-  
tion for teachers which is being held  
at County Supt. Miller's office in the  
court house, this week.Rena Melaise, a former student of  
two years ago, and Atty. Clark, both  
of Ottawa, Ill., were callers at the  
College last week.Irvin DeWitt from the 'Show Me'  
state, has recently entered the Com-  
mercial department for a full coursePaul Crabtree has returned to com-  
plete his course in the commercial de-  
partment. He is doing excellent  
work. All are pleased to see his smil-  
ing countenance again at his desk.Rev. Crissman was with us on Fri-  
day morning and gave an excellent  
talk along the line of the spiritual  
side of one's nature and emphasized  
the importance of saving the soul.  
His remarks were based on the Scrip-  
tural text, 'For the Son of Man  
Came to Seek and to Save that  
Which Was Lost.' We hope Dr. Criss-  
man comes often.A college yin and ring, the design  
of which is both beautiful and  
unique, have been selected by the stu-  
dents; and a large order has already  
been placed with the manufactory.It is said that a number of our  
students have, epigrammatically,  
as well as literally speaking, been  
'courting' more or less, in divers  
places for several days this week.  
They spent some time at the court  
house in attendance at the trial of  
the murder case and their finding  
seems to be generally in favor of a  
death penalty for the defendant.Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Reese of Rock  
ford were pleasant visitors at the Col-  
lege Wednesday. They were both  
former students of Dixon College  
and graduated from the commercial  
department. Mr. Reese was also first  
assistant teacher in the commercial  
department two years ago. Mrs.  
Reese, nee Miss Helen Unger, after  
graduating from the commercial de-  
partment was for some time head  
bookkeeper for the American Wagon  
company of this city.

## USE FUR TRIMMINGS

LEADING MODISTES INSIST ON  
THIS METHOD OF DECORATION.Small Pieces Enhance the Beauty of  
Any Costume—Sometimes Serve as  
Shoulder Straps—Follow Satin  
and Chiffon.An idea of the number of ways in  
which small bits of fur may be used  
may be had by glancing at any of  
the afternoon and evening toilettes in  
these days. A gown of cloth will  
have epaulettes of fox or squirrel. A  
dance frock will have a row of little  
furry heads across the bodice instead  
of a row of roses, or the narrowest  
possible bands of fur around the edge  
of the short, filmy sleeves, or a tiny  
edging on the chiffon tunic. Collars  
on every sort of gowns are likely to  
be finished with a bit of fur on the

upper edge, and sometimes an entire  
collar, close-fitting as velvet, will be  
made of the fur—a separate one or  
attached. Cuffs on tailored suits of  
velvet and broadcloth and all the no-  
velty goods from Paris are pretty sure  
to be of fur, and many a suit, as well  
as a fur coat, boasts big round buttons  
of seal or mole or gramine. The even-  
ing wrap, if it is not made wholly of  
fur, can hardly be said to rank high  
unless it has at least a broad collar  
and revers of some soft fur, and per-  
haps a fur rose or buttons as a fas-  
tening. Often it is bordered all around  
with the fox or ermine, or whatever  
chances to have been chosen. The  
best of the French wraps seem design-  
ed to give contrast, as except in the  
case of a few all white models—white  
velvet edged with ermine or white  
fox, for instance—a dark fur is usually  
chosen to ornament a light brocade  
or velvet, and a white or very light  
fur on a dark wrap.

One of the very attractive acces-  
sories of the cloth suit or the after-  
noon gowns is a large combination col-  
lar and jabot made of the lace with  
fur trimming. This is worn outside  
the coat of a suit. Sometimes the  
entire collar is made of the fur, fas-  
tened in the back, and there are small  
sable heads or what not down the  
center of the large double frill.

Narrow band trimmings of fur are  
used on chiffrons, and even laces and  
sometimes a band of fur serves as a  
shoulder strap, instead of the more  
familiar band of rhinestone or pearls.

A charming frock of girlish type  
was seen recently. The blouse and  
tunic were made of fine shaded lace,  
and decollete bodice being finished  
with a row of tiny pink silk roses veil-  
ed by the lace. The skirt was border-  
ed by a band of swansdown.

The frock pictured is of pale yellow  
satin and chiffon with a lace tunic.  
Two narrow bands of skunk extend  
from the shoulders in straight panel  
effect down the front to three-quarters  
the length of the skirt, slanting away  
to a point at the back. A panel of  
lace threaded with gold begins below  
the bust line, extends down between  
rows of fur and forms the tunic,  
which reaches below the knees. The  
skirt crosses over at the left side,  
forming a slashed effect at the bottom.  
The other is a frock of silver tissue  
draped up at the right side, showing  
an opening at the bottom. The skirt  
is crossed by a band of black fox.  
The tunic and bodice are of mother of  
pearl beading with handsome motifs  
and fringe. A band of fur encircles  
the waist and is finished with a vel-  
vet flower.

MARY DEAN.

## Collars.

An ill-fitting collar spoils the whole  
gown. See that the collar is well  
boned, and the bones placed to suit  
the wearer. The best fitting collar  
is cut on a straight strip, slightly hol-  
lowed out in front if the neck is  
short.

## Reorganization Sale Prices

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Christian Endeavor, 2:30 p. m.  
Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m.  
Communion service and reception  
of members to follow the morning  
service.

Subject for sermon to children will  
be 'Five Smooth Stones.'Subject for evening, 'Why Men  
Need the Help of God.'

Our people greatly enjoyed the  
solo by Miss Graves last Sabbath.  
Next Sabbath morning Miss Graves  
and Miss Decker will sing a duet, and  
in the evening Miss Madden will sing  
a solo.

The interest and attendance is in-  
creasing steadily. All will be wel-  
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People's hospital, Archer avenue and  
22nd St., Chicago.

## MOOSE WILL HAVE

SPECIAL MEETING

An important special meeting of

the Moose, which every member is  
urged to attend, will be held at their  
hall Sunday at 3 p. m.

## MEN'S GOSPEL CHOIRUS

MEETS TOMORROW

The men's gospel chorus of the Y.  
M. C. A. will meet at the association  
building tomorrow afternoon at 2:30  
o'clock. Dr. McWethy will be in  
charge.

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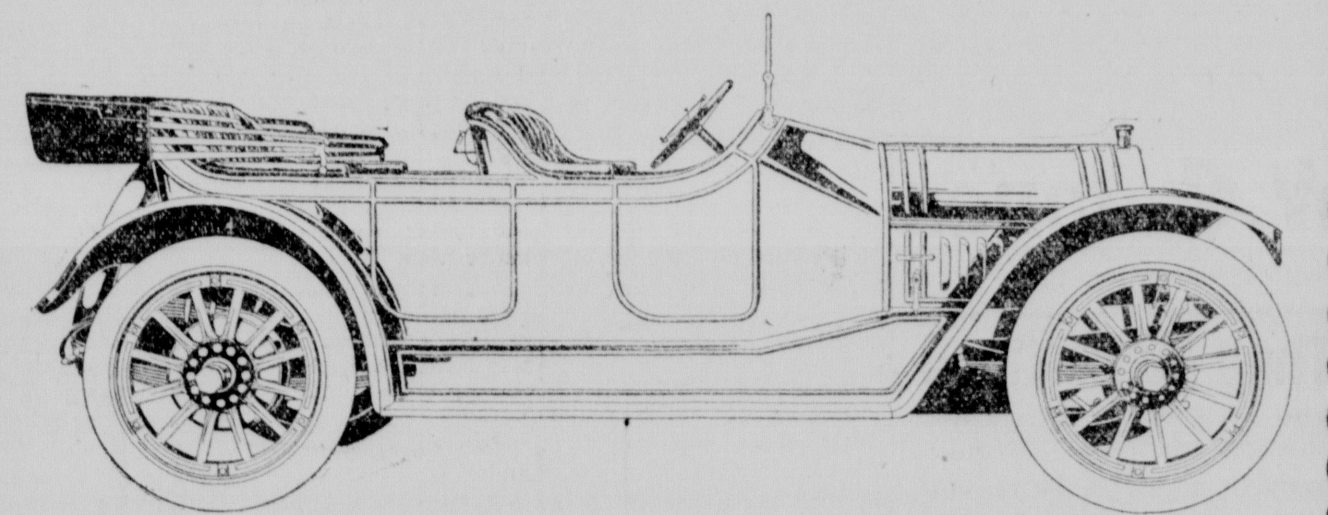
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One lot Ladies Short Tennis Flannel Underskirts in light and dark patterns, 50c values, Clearance price .38c

One lot childrens' and infants Tennis Flannel Night Gowns, regular price 50c. Clearance price 38c

**Pajamas--Men's and Ladies' and Misses Sizes**

\$1.98 values, Clearance price .88c

\$1.50 values, Clearance price .75c

\$1.00 values, Clearance price .50c

One lot Ladies Union Suits, medium weight fleeced, in cream only. Clearance price .39c

**Ladies' Shirt Waists and Shirts**

All ladies' and misses Shirts in plain gray and blue, also striped patterns. Several tailored waists included in this lot. Values from \$1.50 to \$2.50. Clearance price .98c

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#### Dried Peas as Liver Pills.

An enterprising swindler in England has recently been arrested for selling dried peas as "little liver pills." They were sold on the assurance that they were "excellent medicine." Of course, dried peas are not an "excellent medicine," neither will they cure "liver trouble," but the same may be said of the many liver pills which contain drugs and are sold under claims even more fraudulent. The British swindler should have been better informed. When he desires to sell "liver pills" he should put some drugs in them—poisonous or otherwise, the kind doesn't matter. Then he can lie about his product to his heart's content and he will be immune from arrest. In fact, if he can sell enough of them he may look forward to a peerage. In Great Britain, as in the United States, it is not the mere act of swindling, but the method, that proves dangerous.—From the Journal of the American Medical Association.

A. E. Thummel of Sterling was in Dixon today.

#### Many Soldiers in Munich.

One cannot walk half a square in Munich without hearing the clank of a sword. It makes one think of two things, preparedness and taxes. The German officer and soldier is omnipresent. He looms up before you, in his close-fitting gray coat and high red collar, at the theater, the opera, the concert, the cafe—everywhere. He passes your window, perhaps in the morning at the head of a company of soldiers, all of them singing a rousing marching song at a rapid cadence. And it is the singing soldier who interests one the most. His song is unlike anything we hear at home. One hundred of him marching down a hard granite street at sunrise, with the tramp of many feet marking the time of the song, will get anyone out of bed. The song has a way of halting here and there for a brief interval. In the middle of a phrase it suddenly rests, while three or four resounding steps ring out on the pavements. And then the song goes on again until it dies away in the distance.

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#### DIXON HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

All contributions to this part of the Dixon Telegraph should be sent to Paul Byers, Department Editor.

#### Doings for This Week.

Jan. 20—Lillian Doyle and Olive Bender appeared in new dresses exactly alike. Since then they have been called the 'Gold Dust Twins.'

Jan. 21—A great mania for throwing articles across the room at some poor fellow's head developed today. A loaded ink-well was one, which left its track on poor Lucille's (Snorky) gown, much to her sorrow, as it was just new.

Jan. 22—A wild look seems to set upon the faces of most of the inmates of the house, particularly the Seniors. Can you guess? Of course! Semester exams!!

Jan. 23—A wilder look! The midnight oil was burned. Everyone's head has increased in size. Why? 'Cramming.' Queer whispers are heard in the halls.

Jan. 24—Some are wearing happy smiles as they say 'Hully gee, I got my credit. Others wear a look of despair, while some are thinking hard in lines which run like this:—

I used to think I knew I knew, But now, I must confess, The more I know I know I know, I know I know the less.

Miss Mertz—"If you want to know anything, just come and ask me." It was tried the last of this week, but 'failed.'

#### How About It?

Albert: "I am not fond of the stage, Helen, but I hear your father on the stairs and I think I had better go before the foot lights."

#### Poor Fellow

'Joseph, queried his father, 'how do you stand in school these days?' 'In the corner most of the time' replied truthful Joe. But really, Joe, didn't you mean the front seat?

#### Here Is a Good One

The Seniors had a class meeting last Friday evening and were led around by the nose proper. One would think by the time a class gets to be senior it would have a mind of its own, but it has been proven otherwise.

They selected their graduation announcements and they are beautiful. Some were heard to remark that they resembled dance invitations and they told the truth. Really some people have excellent taste as was shown by the selections. Two kinds were selected by a committee (the so called aristocrats) and submitted to the class for inspection. A vote was taken and the class decided not to buy this early, when comes a young man and tells them lovely things in lovelier words, and in a second vote (which was strictly in order) they accept his proposition, not because they want to, but because the committee has accepted and oh, they would not offend them for the world.

In the first place the seniors have plenty of time to look around in and may see a much more desirable card and at better terms, but what can they do. Nothing. The majority of the class are not in favor of the cards selected but it seems funny they are afraid to stand up for their rights. A committee, and it happens to be always the same one, decides everything for the class and the class has to accept whether they care to or not, as every objection they raise is overruled by this committee. What gets me is that they have class meetings at all, why not let everything to the most worthy committee, they do what they want to in the end, anyway. All a class meeting is for it seems is to inform us what the committee is doing. Really, Seniors, I would stand up and take notice and not be a weakling. I would not be afraid to voice my opinions. I would not let a few conceited persons tell me what to do. My conclusion is you have no backbone whatsoever, so wake up! There is yet time.

#### Basket Ball

A review of the game of Saturday evening:

First Scene—Dixon loudly—Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! etc.

Second Scene—Same, only louder.

Third Scene—Rah! Rah! Rah! etc.

Fourth Scene—Dixon faintly, rah-a-a-a-a-

"Go! durn it! and wouldn't that bump yer?" Exit.

#### As Heard in the Hall

'Oh, say, wasn't the test easy?' 'Yes, I only missed four questions.' 'O Snitz, do you think you passed?' 'I only have to make ninety-one.' 'Wasn't it horrible? Boo! Hoo!' Finally: 'A little less noise please.' (Excited whispers)

#### The Latest

Marjorie had a little test, She worried all the day, She also worried half the night, Till she nearly worried away.

Marjorie had her little test, Oh me! oh my! oh me! And did she really get a mark? Ah, yes, 'twas only '103.'

#### Just Around the Corner

'Hello, Pants, here's a good one. Why is a dog's tail a great novelty?' Pants—"I can't quite stake you, Red."

'Because nobody has seen it before.' He! Haw! Har! Listen, a dull sickening thud! A screech and then all is silent.

#### Lecture at School

Mr. Snyder gave a very interesting lecture last night to the students. His lecture was based upon general subjects. This is the third lecture of the course.

#### Literary Societies

On account of the semester exams, it was decided that there would be no meeting of the societies Friday.

#### Junior Basket Ball Game

The Junior girls basket ball team will play the college in the near future. A fast and exciting game will be expected. Everybody come.

#### TOO SLOW FOR PRESENT DAY?

Writer Thus Explains the Decline of the Essay, Once Such Popular Reading.

Why has the essay, at least in America, lost ground so steadily? Was Emerson destined to be our last representative of that delightful line, beginning with Montaigne and carried nobly down through Swift, Addison, Lamb, Hazlitt, Newman, Matthew Arnold, Stevenson, to our day? Is it because it holds too leisurely a charm for our impatient temper that we lay aside this most intimate form of communion with our men of letters? It seems as if the appetite for facts had dulled our literary palates; that we preferred, like the ostrich, to bolt miscellaneous daily provender of shells and pebbles. For our great masters of style will not be hurried. They seem to ask us to pull up our easy chairs before the fire, light pipes, fill tankards, and let the good talk come, as it will, like old wine poured grudgingly at first from a precious bottle. But what a generous glow it brings at last—what friendly invocations out of a past that seems our own! We can fancy the superb invective with which Sam Johnson would have greeted the intrusion, into one of his discourses, of the telephone. And yet we let our newspapers and our railroads and our telephones and our unconscionable habit of hurrying nowhere for the sake of hurrying cheat us of these rich friendships. How happy Mark Twain must be now sitting discursive among his peers!—Collier's Weekly.

#### Profession of Motherhood.

It is a difficult profession—this profession of motherhood. In the animal kingdom, as the offspring grow older, the parents withdraw their ministrations, but in the human family the older the children grow the more diplomacy and enthusiasm is needed by the ruling spirits. When the boys begin to get unruly and the girls begin to get silly—as the husband gets less ready to make an effort and more willing to sit quietly by the fire in the evening—then it is that many a family drifts apart. But the mother can have no holiday. She must always be on tap. The only difference is that as the children grow older she must pretend that it is they and not she who are managing affairs.—Agnes Edwards Rothery, in the Home Progress Magazine.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH.

There will be baptism at the Baptist church at the Sunday evening service. There will be no prayer meeting next week.

*Coax the Home folks*

Native town patriotism is the mother of home success. Good things to sell, proper publicity in this paper and stick-to-itiveness win buyers in this vicinity—buyers mean money, money brings everything to your door. s s s

## Electric Power Exercises Many Functions That Are Peculiarly Its Own

There are certain mechanical plants that can be run by Electricity only—for example the big stone quarries around Chicago. They require cars that without anybody aboard will travel over a mile of track, start when wanted, stop when wanted, climb up steep grades with 10 ton loads and run down again without damaging anything. Electricity alone supplies the way to do this. The operation furnishes a graphic object lesson of

### The Flexibility of Electric Power --the readiness with which it meets any requirement

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## A TALE OF THE FRONTIER



By **RANDALL PARRISH**  
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## CHAPTER XXVI.

## Unseen Danger.

Once he paused, blinded by the snow, flung up his arm, and fired, imagining he saw the dim shape of a man on the ridge summit. There was no return shot, no visible movement. Reckless, mad with rage, he sprang up the wind-swept side, and reached the crest. It was deserted, except for tracks already nearly obliterated by the fierce wind. Helpless, baffled, the Sergeant stared about him into the driving flakes, his ungloved, stiffening hand gripping the cold butt of his Colt, ready for any emergency. Nothing but vacancy and silence encompassed him. At his feet the snow was still trampled; he could see where the man had knelt to fire; where he had run down the opposite side of the hill. There had been only one—a white man from the imprint—and he had fled south, vanishing in the smother.

It required an effort for the Sergeant to recover, to realize his true position, and the meaning of this mysterious attack. He was no longer numb with cold or staggering from weakness. The excitement had sent the hot blood pulsing through his veins; had brought back to his heart the fighting instinct. Every desire urged him forward, clamoring for revenge, but the aroused sense of a plainman held him motionless, staring about, listening for any sound. Behind him, down there in the hollow, were huddled the horses of his outfit, scarcely distinguishable from where he stood. If he should venture farther off, he might never be able to find a way back again. Even in the gray light of dawn he could see nothing distinct a dozen yards distant. And Wesson had the compass. This was the thought which brought him tramping back through the drifts—Wesson! Wade was dead, Carroll little better, but the scout might have been only slightly wounded. He waded through the snow to where the man lay, face downward, his face still gripping the rein. Before Hamlin turned him over, he saw the jagged wound and knew dead had been instantaneous. He stared down at the white face, already powdered with snow; then glared about into the murky distances, revolver ready for action, every nerve throbbing. God! If he ever met the murderer! Then swift reaction came, and he buried his eyes on the neck of the nearest horse, and his body shook with half-suppressed sobs. The whole horror of it gripped him in that instant, broke his iron will, and left him weak as a child.

But the mood did not last. Little by little he gained control, stood up again in the snow, and began to think. He was a man, and must do a man's work. With an oath he forced himself to act; reloaded his revolver, thrust it back into the holster at his hip, and, with one parting glance at poor Sam, plowed across through the drifts to Carroll. He realized now his duty, the thing he must strive to accomplish. Wade and Wesson were gone; no human effort could aid them, but Carroll lived, and might be saved. And it was for him alone now to serve Molly. The sudden comprehension of all this stung like the lash of a whip, transformed him again into a fighter, a soldier of the sort who refuses to acknowledge defeat. His eyes darkened, his lips pressed together in a straight line.

Carroll lay helpless, inert, his head hanging down against the neck of his horse. The Sergeant jerked him erect, roughly beating him into consciousness; nor did he resist until the fellow's eyes opened in a dull stare.

"I'll pound the life out of you unless you brace up, George," he muttered. "That's right—get mad if you want to. It will do you no good. Wait until I get that quirt; that will set your blood moving. No! Wake up! Die, nothing! See here, man, there's the river just ahead."

He picked up his glove, undid the reins from Wesson's stiffened fingers, and urged the horses forward. Carroll lurched drunkenly in the saddle, yet retained sufficient life to cling to the pommel, and thus the outfit plunged blindly forward into the storm, leaving the dead men where they lay. There was nothing else to do; Hamlin's heart choked him as he plowed

his way past, but he had no strength to lift those heavy bodies. Every ounce of power must be conserved for the preservation of life. Little as he could see through the snow blasts there was but one means of passage, that along the narrow rift between the ridges. The snow lay deep here, but they floundered ahead, barely able to surmount the drifts, until suddenly they emerged upon an open space, sheltered somewhat by the low hills and swept clean by the wind. Directly beneath, down a wide cleft in the bank, dimly visible, appeared the welcome waters of the Cimarron. The stream was but partly frozen over, the dark current flowing in odd contrast between the banks of ice and snow.



He Buried His Eyes on the Neck of the Nearest Horse.

The Sergeant halted, examining his surroundings cautiously, expecting every instant to be fired upon by some unseen foe. The violence of the storm prevented his seeing beyond a few yards, and the whirling snow crystals blinded him as he faced the fury of the wind sweeping down the valley. Nothing met his gaze; no sound reaching his ears; about him was desolation, unbroken whiteness. Apparently they were alone in all that intense dreariness of snow. The solemn loneliness of it—the dark, silently flowing river, the dun sky, the wide, white expanse of plain, the mad violence of the storm beating against him—brought to him a feeling of helplessness. He was a mere atom, struggling alone against Nature's wild mood. Then the feeling clutched him that he was not alone; that from somewhere amid those barren wastes hostile eyes watched, skulking murderers sought his life. Yet there was no sign of any presence. He could not stand there and die, nor permit Carroll to freeze in his saddle. It would be better to take a chance; perhaps they had become confused by the storm.

Foot by foot, feeling his passage, he advanced down the gully, fairly dragging his own horse after him. Behind, held by the straining lariat, lurched the others, the soldier swaying on the back of the last, swearing and laughing in delirium, clutching at snowflakes with his hands. At the end of the ravine, under shelter of the bank, Hamlin tramped back the snow, herding the animals close, so as to gain the warmth of their bodies. Here they were well protected from the cruel lash of the wind and the shower of snow which blew over them and drifted higher and higher in the open space beyond. Working feverishly, the blood again circulating freely through his veins, the Sergeant hastily dragged blankets from the pack, and spread them on the ground, depositing Carroll upon them. Then he set about vigorously rubbing the soldier's exposed flesh with snow. The smart of it, together with the roughness of handling, aroused the latter from lethargy, but Hamlin, ignoring his resentment, gripped the fellow with hands of iron, never ceasing his violent ministrations until his swearing ended in silence. Then he wrapped him tightly in the blankets, and stood himself erect, gazing from the exercise. Carroll glared up at him angrily out of red-rimmed eyes.

"I'll get you for that, you big boob!" he shouted, striving to release his arms from the clinging blankets. "You wait! I'll get you!"

"Hush up, George, and go to sleep," the other retorted, poking the shapeless body with his foot, his thoughts already elsewhere. "Don't be a fool. I'll get a fire if I can, and something hot into you. Within an hour you'll be a man again. Now see here—stop that! Do you hear? You lie still right where you are, Carroll, until I come back, or I'll kick your ribs in!" He bent down menacingly, scowling into the upturned face. "Will you mind, or shall I have to hand you one?"

Carroll shrank back like a whipped child, his lips muttering something indistinguishable. The sergeant, satisfied, turned and floundered through the drifts to the bank of the stream. He was alert and fearful, yet determined. No matter what danger of discovery might threaten, he must build a fire to save Carroll's life. The raging storm was not over with; there was no apparent cessation of violence in the blasts of the icy wind, and the snow swept about him in blinding sheets. It would continue all day, all another night, perhaps, and they could never live through without food and warmth. He realized the risk fully, his gloved hand gripping the butt of his revolver, as he stared up and down the snow-draped bluffs. He wished he had

picked up Wesson's rifle. Who was it that had shot them up, anyhow. The very mystery added to the dread. Could it have been Dupont? There was no other conception possible, yet it seemed like a miracle that they could have kept so close on the fellow's trail all night long through the storm. Yet who else would open fire at sight? Who else, indeed, would be in this God-forsaken country? And whoever it was, where had he gone? How had he disappeared so suddenly and completely? He could not be far away, that was a certainty. No plainman would attempt to ford that icy stream, nor desert the shelter of these bluffs in face of the storm. It would be suicidal. And if Dupont and his Indians were close at hand, Miss McDonald would be with them. He had had no time in which to reason this out before, but now the swift realization of the close proximity of the girl came to him like an electric shock. Whatever the immediate danger, he must thaw out Carroll, and thus be free himself.

He could look back to where the weary horses huddled beneath the bank, grouped about the man so helplessly swaddled in blankets on the ground. They were dim, pitiable objects, barely discernible through the flying sleet, yet Hamlin was quick to perceive the advantage of their position—the overhanging bluff was complete protection from any attack except along the open bank of the river. Two armed men could defend the spot against odds. And below, a hundred yards away, perhaps—it was hard to judge through that smother—the bare limbs of several stunted cottonwoods waved dimly against the gray sky. Hesitating, his eyes searching the barrenness above to where the stream bent northward and disappeared, he turned at last and tramped downward along the edge of the stream. Across stretched the level, white prairie, beaten and obscured by the storm, while to his left rose the steep, bare bluff, swept clear by the wind, revealing its ugliness through the haze of snow. Not in all the expanse was there visible a moving object nor track of any kind. He was alone, in the midst of indescribable desolation—a cold, dead, dreary landscape.

He came to the little patch of forest growth, a dozen gaunt, naked trees at the river's edge, stunted, two of them already toppling over the bank, apparently undermined by the water, threatening to fall before each blast that smote them. Hoping to discover some splinters for a fire, Hamlin kicked a clear space in the snow, yet kept his face always toward the bluff, his eyes vigilantly searching for any skulking figure. Silent as those desert surroundings appeared, the sergeant knew he was not alone. He had a feeling that he was being watched, spied upon; that somewhere near at hand, crouching in that solitude, the eyes of murder followed his every movement. Suddenly he straightened up, staring at the bluff nearly opposite where he stood. Was it a



Slowly, Noiselessly, His Colt Poised for Instant Action.

dream, an illusion, or was that actually the front of a cabin at the base of the bank? He could not believe it possible, nor could he be sure. If so, then it consisted merely of a room excavated in the side of the hill, the opening closed in by cottonwood logs. It in no way extended outward beyond the contour of the bank, and was so plastered with snow as to be almost indistinguishable a dozen steps away. Yet those were logs, regularly laid, beyond a doubt; he was certain he detected now the dim outlines of a door, and a smooth wooden shutter, to which the snow refused to cling, the size and shape of a small window. His heart throbbing with excitement, the Sergeant slipped in against the bluff for protection, moving cautiously closer until he convinced himself of the reality of his strange discovery by feeling the rough bark of the logs. It was a form of habitation of some kind beyond question; apparently unoccupied, for there were no tracks in the snow without, and no smoke of a fire visible anywhere.

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W. W. Smith returned Friday from Elkhart, Ind.

## PINE CREEK

Jan. 25.—S. B. Netz was in Oregon Wednesday.

V. H. Bovey and Wragg Brothers delivered corn to Stratford buyers this week, while F. W. Bovey, Ed. Netz, R. L. Brooks and H. H. Powell delivered their oat crop.

Mrs. S. B. Netz was a visitor in Polo at the Benj. Ringer home.

A number of ladies from here attended the Ladies' Aid, held at the Christian church last Wednesday. All report an exceptionally good and enthusiastic meeting. The ladies are getting ready for their annual church dinner. Don't fail to attend.

Mrs. Wm. Bovey expects to leave soon for a visit with her daughter's church dinner. Don't fail to attend.

Wednesday, Jan. 23, the Christian church will hold their annual dinner. All invited.

Jacob Adams and wife were in Dixon Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Netz of Pennsylvania Corners is spending several weeks in Polo.

Agrilla Cummings, living north of here near Stratford, is sick and in a very dangerous condition.

M. and Mrs. Wm. Bovey Jr. went to Dixon Friday for an over Friday visit.

Mrs. Peter Wragg arrived home last week from a visit with her parents in Nebraska.

V. H. Bovey was a recent visitor on the Ridge with business for the Pine Creek Telephone Co.

Mr. Beard was a recent caller in Dixon.

M. F. Funk arrived home Thursday from jury duty in Oregon.

D. W. Boley of Pennsylvania Corners was a recent business caller at the M. F. Funk home.

## FRANKLIN GROVE

Jan. 24.—J. E. Wolf and family of Ashton visited here Friday.

Harry Wingert, who is attending the Bethany Bible school in Chicago, was here Monday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wingert.

I. R. Fegeley was in Rochelle Friday.

Mrs. Ed. Arnold of Ashton returned home Wednesday after spending some time with her mother, Grandma Gilbert, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wicker were called to Chicago by the sudden illness of their son, Charles. Mr. Wicker returned home on Friday afternoon.

M. J. Hazeltine of Polo was here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Meyers returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Ashton.

Mrs. Ernest Miller visited with friends and relatives in Dixon Wednesday.

E. J. Randal was here Friday on business.

J. M. Finley returned Friday from an out of town trip.

Misses Carrie and Ella Lohmeyer were callers in Dixon on Wednesday.

Donald Sunday was in Nachusa on Friday.

John D. Baker was in Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Clark of Rochelle visited here Friday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Buck.

Miss Frances Vaughan went to her home in West Chicago Friday evening for an over Sunday visit with her parents.

The pupils of the Franklin Grove high school gave a banquet Friday evening in honor of the high school faculty.

Miss Esther Herbst is reported to be seriously ill again.

J. C. Cook returned on Friday from a business trip west.

Will H. Smith of Dixon was here this week.

Miss Ethel Holmgren, teacher of the seventh and eighth grades, went to her home in DeKalb Thursday because of illness. Her place in the school was taken by Miss Vaughan of the primary grades and Miss Myrtle Ackerman is teaching Miss Vaughan's classes.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Lafayette Carnahan to J. S. Archer, wd \$800, and \$20 of lot 2 in sub of lots 15 and 16, blk 6, Compton.  
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## TALAAT BEY



Talaat Bey is one of the leaders of the Young Turk party that has seized the reins of government in Constantinople with the downfall of the cabinet.

## T. R. RAPS EMPLOYERS

Says Legislature Should Investigate Garment Industry.

Strikers' Riots Marked by Shooting of Revolvers—One Man Shot in Leg—Jail Girls.

New York, Jan. 25.—Colonel Roosevelt in a statement in the form of a letter to Michael Sharp, a Progressive assemblyman, scores the garment manufacturers, who denied the workers the right to seek their rights collectively.

"In the interest of the people of New York," the colonel wrote, "the legislature should undertake a thorough investigation into the white goods, wrapper and kimono industries. While the manufacturers have agreed with the striking employees to undergo an investigation within themselves, no such action has been arranged, due to the fact that the manufacturers decline to recognize the fundamental need that the employees shall have the right to combine into unions recognized by their employers."

The striking garment workers renewed their activities here with increased vigor and a series of riots marked by much shooting of revolvers was the result. One man was shot in the leg, another fatally trampled on and beaten, and many union and non-union workers, men and girls, were arrested.

The most serious rioting of the day occurred in Williamsburg, where a score of shots were fired in fighting between policemen and strikers.

Four girl strikers were convicted of assault in special sessions court and went to jail for ten days in default of \$25 each.

## GUSTAVE LUDERS IS DEAD

Author of Many Light Opera Favorites Dies in New York.

New York, Jan. 25.—Gustave Luders, composer of "The Prince of Pilsen," "The Shogun," "The Grand Mogul," "The Fair Cood," "King Dodo," "Woodland" and other successful light operas, died in the rooms of Mitchell O'Bray in the Times Court, an apartment hotel, following an acute attack of cerebral apoplexy. He had left Mrs. Luders and their daughter at the Broadway theater, where his latest composition, "Somewhere Else," is being played, only a few hours before apparently in the best of health. Mr. Luders was a native of Chicago.

## CANAL MENACED BY SLIDES

Serious Damage Threatens Big Ditch by the Continual Cave-ins.

Panama, Jan. 25.—Serious damage to the canal is threatened by the continued sliding movement which started January 10 near Culebra. Another break occurred on January 16, and it became known that a third slide occurred Monday night. Part of a bluff was carried into the cut by the second slide. These new slides involve 125,000 cubic yards of earth and it is feared breaks may occur in the east bank.

## BALL SUBSTITUTE MAY GO

Senators Think It Unwise to Open Capitol for Public Reception.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Democratic senators in caucus decided it would be unwise and inexpedient to open the capitol for a public reception on inauguration day. The action of the Democratic caucus surrounds with doubt what plan, if any, may finally be adopted to take the place of the ball.

Would Repeal Fifteenth Amendment. Columbia, S. C., Jan. 25.—In a resolution passed by the house and pending in the senate, congress is asked to repeal the fifteenth amendment. It is declared that negroes are a menace to civilization and responsible for hoodlums.

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And see the following specials. They are worthy of your attention.  
Men's corduroy sheep lined coats

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'Once a customer, always a customer.' That's our motto.

PHIL N. MARKS,  
The Farmers' and Workingman's  
Friend Store.

## E. V. DEBS IS ARRESTED

Socialist Leader Is Taken on Federal Warrant.

Charged With Obstruction of Justice and Released Under \$1,000 Bonds to Await Trial.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 25.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist candidate for president of the United States in the last election, was arrested here on an indictment returned against him in the federal court for the Third district of Kansas. Debs was charged with obstructing justice.

The arrest was made by United States Marshals Tom Martin and David C. Ran'lin from Indianapolis.

The warrant was served in Debs' office and he put on his hat and accompanied the officers to the office of United States Commissioner Orph M. Hall, where he furnished a \$1,000 bond for his appearance at the May term of the United States court of the Third Kansas district.

Debs wrote an expose of alleged conditions in the Fort Leavenworth prison for the Appeal to Reason, which caused a government investigation. The matter printed by the Appeal was considered objectionable by the federal grand jury and action was brought against the editors for sending it through the mails.

The witnesses in this case, it is alleged, Mr. Debs encouraged to leave the jurisdiction of the court. Debs brands the indictment as an effort to ruin the Appeal to Reason.

\$1,000,000 IF CURE IS O. K.

N. Y. Banker Ready to Test Consumption Serum of German.

New York, Jan. 25.—Charles E. Finlay, president of the Aetna National bank, said that he is ready to pay \$1,000,000 to bring to America the tuberculosis serum discovered by Dr. F. F. Friedmann of Berlin if it can be demonstrated in New York that the treatment will cure 95 out of 100 cases. To test the cure Mr. Finlay proposes to hire a sanitarium in New York and treat 100 tubercular patients free of charge. The first of these patients will be his son-in-law, Rex Lee Paris, a Princeton athlete of the class of 1908, who married his daughter, Nova Estelle Finlay, and subsequently developed tuberculosis.

## RELIEF IN ARCTIC FAILS

Expedition Is Unable to Rescue Scientists in Spitzbergen.

Christiania, Norway, Jan. 25.—The Norwegian expedition for the relief of the German scientists reported to be suffering terrible privations in a remote part of Spitzbergen, left Advent bay, Spitzbergen, Monday, but was forced to return there, as the water was found open and communication overland impossible. The relief of the German scientists will be impracticable until new ice has formed. The first news of the plight of the German expedition reached Advent bay last week.

Ancient Deed Brings Joy.  
London, Jan. 25.—Sir Walter Gilboy, famous wine grower and East Anglian squire, nearly eighty-two years of age, has acquired, as lord of the manor of Colchester hall, Takely, an ancient deed entitling him to kiss every bride among his tenants on her wedding day.

Jewelry Sale Brings \$176,000.  
Paris, Jan. 25.—The total for the second day's sale of jewelry of "a Turkish princess" in the George Petit gallery amounted to \$176,406.

Morgan Off for Alexandria.  
Naples, Italy, Jan. 25.—J. Pierpont Morgan has sailed for Alexandria, Egypt.



Try a sack of White Satin Flour and you will use no other. Dixon Cereal Co.

Patronize Cook's Parcel Delivery. Leave orders at Sterlings' Pharmacy or Dauntler's Cigar store. Residence Phone, 13890. 2601f

The Evening Telegraph, Orange Judd Farmer and any one of the following six books: Farm Crops, Profitable Poultry, Profitable Stock Raising, Handy Farm Devices, Making Horticulture Pay, The Farmers' Veterinarian. These books are nicely bound in cloth. Our price for a short time will be \$3.40.

EAT the latest bread, 'Belser's Home Made.' It is the flakey kind. A wrapped loaf for 5 cents. 161f

PUBLIC SALE of horses, cattle and hogs, on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 5 1-2 miles north of Walnut, 4 miles east of Deer Grove, 7 miles southwest of Harmon; known as the Bass place. G. W. Knapp. 17 12\*

### LOST.

Last evening in Rosbrook hall, H. Gold lost between \$25 and \$30 in cash, 2 ten dollar bills, 1 five dollar bill, and 2 checks. Finder please return to H. Gold, 316 First street and receive liberal reward. 213

### SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant under Ordinance No. 131, Series of 1911.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: Constructing Cement Sidewalks on Lincoln Avenue, along the west line thereof, from the south line of Ninth Street to the south line of Section 6, T. 21 N., Range 9 E., and Ninth Street Crossing, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned. Said assessment is payable in Three (3) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$81.27 and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, 1914. The last two installments are each for the amount of \$100.00 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd, in each of the years 1915 and 1916 both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable on the 2nd day of January, from the 18th day of December, A. D. 1912, the date of issuing the first voucher on account of work done. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's Office in the City Building of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois.

Dated this 21st day of January, A. D. 1913.

Signed: BLAKE GROVER, Collector

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Carterville All Lump Coal \$3.40  
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F. W. RINK

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## Duntley Vacuum Cleaners

In order to close quickly I offer them at the following reduced prices

No. 2 Suction Cleaner.....\$6 00  
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No. 1 " " \$10 00

These combination Cleaners have brush as well as suction. Call and see them or ask us to demonstrate at your home.

JOHNE. MOYER

84 Galena Ave.

FURNITURE

No. 103

We are now issuing stock in this series. Any amount from 1 share to 100 can be carried. The monthly payments range from 50c to 50 Dollars

Systematic Saving is What Counts

RESOURCES:

Resources, Sept. 1, 1911, \$123,147.13  
September 1st, 1912...\$136,261.93  
Over 25 Years in Business.

DIXON LOAN AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION,  
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Bargain Prices, Time payments if desired. College of Music, 215 First Street

### NOTICE.

Having sold my livery business, I will be at the office the next three weeks for the purpose of adjusting accounts. All those indebted to me will please call then and settle. Accounts not promptly paid will be placed for collection.  
18.12 CHARLES A. DEMENT.

### 1914 CALENDARS DE LUXE.

We have the finest line of calendars ever carried in this city and will be pleased to display them for your approval. The majority of calendars used in Dixon this year were Robert Chapman Calendars, made in Brooklyn, N. Y., and they gave complete satisfaction in every instance. Phone Geo. B. Shaw, No. 5, if you are interested in business or art calendars, hangers, mailing cards or advertising blotters.

### Advertising Agent.

Will Gibbons, Advertising and Distributing, Dixon, Ill. Office Phone, 991. Residence, 842. 20 12

### DR. STANLEY

Surgeon Foot Specialist.

D. Stanley will be in Dixon at the Bishop Hotel, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 26, 27 and 28th. All troubles of the feet treated. Calls made to all parts of the city. Phone calls promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. 21 2

This is a Good  
Time to Start a  
Savings Account.

The pennies, nickles and dimes saved by the young persons are like croppings of gold in the rock.

This bank will pay 3 per cent interest on savings accounts, compounded in January and July of each year.

DIXON NATIONAL BANK  
DIXON, ILLINOIS

Three per cent interest paid.

Compounded twice a year.

Capital - - - \$100,000  
Surplus - - - \$100,000  
Resources over One Million Dollars.



## Your Winters Wood

Now is a good time to work on the winter's wood. We have Axes, Saws, Wedges and splitting mauls, from the moderate priced kinds up to the highest quality like KEEN KUTTER. Also Hatchets and Small Axe for breaking coal and splitting kindling.



## WRIGHT'S Silver Cream POLISH

cleans all articles of gold, silver and cut glass, silver toilet articles, tableware, jewelry, china, porcelain, marble statuary, nickel work, chafing dishes, burnished brass, etc.

If you are not acquainted with it, please try it. It will do all that the company manufacturing it claims for it, which we have quoted above. Price 25c per bottle.

DIXON GROCERY CO.

## Furniture

We invite you to call and look over our stock; something suitable for young and old in our immense line of new and up-to-date furniture. Rocking chairs, parlor sets, Morris chairs, children's rockers, doll carts. The finest line of leather upholstered goods in the city. Buffets, dining room tables and chairs. Princess dressers, writing desks, music cabinets. In our Window we display a fine assortment of hand painted pastel and water color pictures, etchings etc. Prices that are right now is the time to select your present and have it set aside for future delivery. Store open every evening from now on until after Xmas at

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\$10,000 Dollars  
Worth of 6 Per  
Cent Preferred Stock

Dividends paid Sept. 15 of each year. For information ask any of the business people of Dixon or any of our three banks, or call at the office of the Clipper Lawn Mower Co., and examine for yourselves.

All stock sold this month will be entitled to the 6 per cent dividend Sept. 15th 1913.

A postal card stating the amount of stock you will take and the day you want it will be made out and delivered to you.

Clipper Lawn Mower Co.  
Dixon, Ill.

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HOUSE WIRING.....

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Work Guaranteed  
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White House Coffee  
The Coffee that Pleases.  
HOON & HALL GROCERS,  
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## To The Consumers

Remember also I carry the new Standard Oil Coke, the Finest Fuel in the market. Also, Solway Coke.  
Thos. Young.

South End of Bridge  
Home Phone 110

## Ads. as Reputation Props

Let us build you an inch ad. in this paper; a column ad., a page ad., or any old size ad.

Let it tell in forceful terms: What you've got to sell What it's worth Why it's best at that price

Such an advertisement in this paper will bring buyers who hardly knew you existed before you advertised.

TRADE MORAL—The merchant who is trying to do business without advertising is winking at Dame Fortune through blue spectacles. He knows he's winking, but she doesn't. This paper is a good advertising medium.

TRADE MORAL—Joan of Arc was the only woman on earth able to resist a bargain advertisement—and she's dead. If you've got a bargain in something, advertise it to the women folks in this paper.

TRADE MORAL—Advertising prominence in this paper is to you, Mr. Home Merchant, what steam is to an engine.